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For : BRACHYTHERAPY NEEDLE WITH IMPEDANCE MEASUREMENT

APPARATUS AND METHODS OF USE

Group Art Unit : 3742

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filed	in the above-identified patent application.

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## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in reply to the Office Action dated January 19, 2005 in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this

paper.

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